

**NUTANA PARK MENNONITE CHURCH  
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**Gathered to Worship on Treaty 6 Territory**

**May 13, 2018  
Mother's Day**

Vol. LIII

**10:00 a.m.**

No. 19

Worship Leader: Kelly Winder  
Accompanists: Fern Stockdale Winder, Musica Tribus  
Greeter: Agnes Peters  
Ushers: Hedio & Ross Borne

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| Prelude                              |                                        | Musica Tribus                                  |
| Gathering Hymn                       | <b>Here In This Place</b>              | HWB No. 6                                      |
| Welcome and Announcements            |                                        |                                                |
| Call to Worship                      |                                        | Psalm 1                                        |
| Special Music                        |                                        | Musica Tribus                                  |
| Lighting of the Peace Lamp           |                                        |                                                |
| Joys and Concerns                    |                                        |                                                |
| Congregational Prayer                |                                        |                                                |
| Children's Time                      |                                        | Matt Schellenberg and<br>Shekinah Summer Staff |
| Offering, Offertory, Our Coins Count |                                        |                                                |
| Scripture                            |                                        | Mark 1:9-13                                    |
| Responsive Reading                   |                                        | StS No. 157                                    |
| Sermon                               |                                        | Sue & Ron Schellenberg                         |
| Hymn of Response                     | <b>Will You Let Me Be Your Servant</b> | HWB No. 307                                    |
| Spoken Benediction                   |                                        |                                                |
| Sung Benediction                     | <b>Praise God From Whom</b>            | HWB No. 118                                    |
| Postlude                             |                                        | Musica Tribus                                  |

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*The place God calls you to is the place where your  
deep gladness and the world's deep hunger meet."  
- Frederick Buechner*

## Announcements

### Spotlight on Mennonite Church Canada - Announcement

MC Canada Executive Director Willard Metzger will complete his term on October 31, 2018 after 8 years of service. "Since the beginning of his tenure in November 2010, Willard has continued to express a deep commitment to Christ and a love for the church", says Calvin Quan, moderator of MC Canada. "We have been blessed by Willard's leadership which many have described as being approachable, pastoral, and articulate. He has a gift for connecting the diversity of cultures and generations reflected in our congregations across the country." "My time with MC Canada has marked me, and I am a better leader and stronger person because of it. I thank God for this gift," stated Metzger.

### This Week

Today	10:00 am	<b>Worship;</b> Shekinah Staff.
	11:00 am	<b>Coffee</b> -- visitors welcome.
	11:10 am	<b>Children's Sunday School.</b>
	11:10 am	<b>Adult Ed:</b> <i>Deepening Our Walk With Christ, Part 2 -- what are the world's deep hungers? What are the deep hungers in our church and in this group? What topics would be helpful next fall?</i> Facilitator – Renata Klassen.
	Noon	<b>Care Group #4 lunch;</b> visitors are welcome to join us.
Tuesday	10:00 am	<b>Women's Bible Study Tea;</b> lounge.
Wed.	7:00 pm	<b>Men's Study;</b> meet at the home of Gordon Peters.
Friday	7:30 pm	<b>Musical Jam Session;</b> Bring your instruments and voices for an evening of singing popular songs.

### Coming Up

Next Sun.	10:00 am	<b>Worship;</b> Cory Neudorf and Tammy Forrester.
	11:00 am	<b>Coffee</b> -- visitors welcome. <b>No Children's Sunday School this Sunday.</b>
	11:30 am	<b>Care Group #5 lunch;</b> visitors are welcome to join us.
May 26	8:00 am	<b>Garage sale in church parking lot.</b>
June 3	3:00 pm	<b>Wedding &amp; Baby Shower at NPMC;</b> join us for visiting, program and lunch. Check mailboxes for details. Cost \$20.

Nutana Park Mennonite Church welcomes into fellowship and membership all persons who confess faith in Jesus Christ, without regard to their race, ethnic background, gender, age, sexual orientation, income, education, ability, and other factors that give rise to discrimination and marginalization.

**NPMC Students:** Post-secondary bursaries are available. Check the website at [npsc.net](http://npsc.net) under the "Resources" tab or contact the church Office. Deadline is May 31.

**Youth Care Packages and Bibles** are in the education wing. Support our youth who are away from family by adding items to a care package or a note of encouragement. In addition, NPMC has a tradition of presenting our youth with a bible when they enter youth group. Feel free to add a favourite bible verse to the front or back pages of the bibles on display. Both the care packages and bibles will be out until June 4th.

"Radiant Boy" is an original captivating musical being performed by **Persephone Young Company May 16-19**. It is a hiphop musical about nonconformity, gender roles, creativity, and hope. **Deanna Stockdale Winder** composed the music for it, and is also one of the performance musicians. Tickets are available at Persephone Theatre or through their website.

The **Garage Sale** is a GO for May 26th! We still need some volunteers (especially for a bit of potential heavy lifting) so please sign up on the sheet in the foyer. We also need your STUFF ... Spread the word! Donate only clean items and items in good working order (NO clothing). Phone Glenis to have items picked up, or drop off goods at the church on Wednesday, **May 23 (after 4:00pm)** until Friday at 4:00 pm, **May 25th**.

### MCC Relief & Auction Sale, June 8, 9 -- Volunteers Needed:

**Pie Table:** The pie committee is asking churches to donate 10-20 pies for the sale. All pies accepted; fruit pies are best sellers. They can be brought to the sale Friday evening or Saturday morning. Please let Helen know how many pies you can bring.  
**Craft Table:** See the bulletin board for a list of craft items for the craft table.  
**Bake Table:** Buns, breads, cookies, cakes, pies are always desired items, but traditional goods (like zweiback, portzelky, peppernuts, platz, etc.) are a real hit. Baking can be brought to the bake table Friday by 4:00 pm or Saturday morning.  
**Houseplants:** Bring to the sale Friday if possible.  
**Silent Auction:** If you have a service or an experience (painting, catered meal, etc.) for the Silent Auction, please contact Denise Martens at [mccreliefsalesk@gmail.com](mailto:mccreliefsalesk@gmail.com)

**Rosthern Junior College** is looking for an enthusiastic and energetic male to join our "Dean Team" residence staff for the 2018-19 school year. For additional information please contact Jim Epp, Principal 232-4222 or [jimepp@rjc.sk.ca](mailto:jimepp@rjc.sk.ca).

**Rosthern Junior College Student Fundraising Event May 24 - a Record Setting Spectacular.** Donations of \$10 or more are tax deductible. We appreciate your assistance as our students ask friends and family (until May 24) for pledges.

**Rosthern Junior College Golf Classic, May 26.** Please register by May 21. Email [rosthernjuniorcollege.ca](http://rosthernjuniorcollege.ca), phone 306-232-4222, or email [rcgolf@rjc.sk.ca](mailto:rcgolf@rjc.sk.ca).

### Mark 1:9-13

9 In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. <sup>10</sup>And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. <sup>11</sup>And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my

Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.' <sup>12</sup>And the Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness. <sup>13</sup>He was in the wilderness for forty days, tempted by Satan; and he was with the wild beasts; and the angels waited on him.